1 2 3 5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 6 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 7 AT TACOMA 8 DEBBIE OWEN on behalf of others similarly situated, 9 Plaintiff, Case No. C03-5566FDB 10 ORDER DIRECTING RESPONSE v. 11 FROM DEFENDANTS RE REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION LABOR READY, INC., et al., 12 Defendants. 13 Plaintiff has moved for clarification of the Court's order of December 1, 2006 denying 14 modification of the scheduling order and precluding Plaintiff from moving for class certification. 15 Plaintiff specifically inquires whether the order precludes Plaintiff moving for both (1) class 16 certification under Fed. R. Civ. P. 23 and (2) for certification of a collective action under the Fair 17 Labor Standards Act (FLSA), 29 U.S.C. § 216(b). The Court requests that Defendants respond to 18 the request for clarification [Dkt. # 66] no later than December 20, 2006. SO ORDERED. 19 DATED this 8th day of December, 2006. 20 21 22 FRANKLIN D. BURGESS UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE 23 24 25

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